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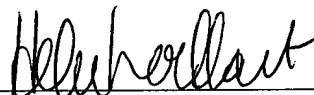
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**AMENDMENT**

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed May 3, 2005, please enter a three month extension of time to and including November 3, 2005 and amend the application as follows.

**Amendment of the Claims** begins in the listing that begins on page 2 of this Amendment.

**Remarks** begin on page 5 of this Amendment.